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		Initiative Petition Information Sheet
	Title of Petition:	A Constitutional Amendment Relative to The Provision of Health Insurance
	Petition Number:	13-02
	<b>Proponents' Conta</b>	et
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	Will the propone	ents propose a summary by the Monday, 5 days after the petition-filing deadline?
	Yes	<u>X</u> No
	Will the propone	ents submit a memo of law by the Friday 9 days after the petition-filing deadline?
	Yes	<u>X</u> No
	opponents of certific	above information will be made available to the public and particularly to possible ation. The Proponent and Proponents' Attorney (if any) will receive copies of any by the public regarding certification.
	(to be filled in by Attorne	v General's Office staff)

AGO Staff Person Receiving Petition: PS

**Date: 8/1/13** 

## PETITION FOR A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT RELATIVE TO

## THE PROVISION OF HEALTH INSURANCE

SECTION 1: The People of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts hereby declare it necessary and expedient to alter the Constitution by the adoption of the following Article of Amendment:

Upon ratification of this amendment and thereafter, it shall be the obligation and duty of the Legislature and executive officials, on behalf of the Commonwealth, to enact and implement such laws as will ensure that no Massachusetts resident who is lawfully present in the United States or permanently residing in the United States under color of law lacks comprehensive, affordable and equitably financed health insurance coverage for all medically necessary preventive, acute and chronic health care and mental health care services, prescription drugs and devices.

Pursuant to Article 48 of the articles of amendment of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, as amended by Article 74 of said articles of amendment, the undersigned qualified voters of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts hereby submit the foregoing measure for approval by the people.

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